

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

HOUSE BILL 1126

Chapter 308, Laws of 2003

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SEED TESTING--FEES

EFFECTIVE DATE: 7/1/03

Passed by the House March 12, 2003
Yeas 94 Nays 1

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate April 25, 2003
Yeas 48 Nays 0

BRAD OWEN

President of the Senate

Approved May 14, 2003.

GARY LOCKE

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Cynthia Zehnder, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **HOUSE BILL 1126** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

CYNTHIA ZEHNDER

Chief Clerk

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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By Representatives Schoesler and Linville

Read first time 01/17/2003. Referred to Committee on Agriculture & Natural Resources.

1 AN ACT Relating to seed testing and certification fees; adding a
2 new section to chapter 15.49 RCW; providing an effective date; and
3 declaring an emergency.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 15.49 RCW
6 to read as follows:

7 (1) Fees established under this chapter pertaining to laboratory
8 testing and seed certification may be increased by the department by
9 rule during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, in excess of the
10 fiscal growth factor as determined under chapter 43.135 RCW.

11 (2) Subsection (1) of this section is null and void if any of the
12 moneys from any source that have been deposited in the agricultural
13 local fund are transferred to the general fund or authorized to be
14 transferred to the general fund by legislation enacted after January 1,
15 2003, and before July 1, 2003.

16 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** Section 1 of this act is necessary for the
17 immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or

1 support of the state government and its existing public institutions,
2 and takes effect July 1, 2003.

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